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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

**Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed from the United States Patent Office on August 24, 2005, please amend the above-captioned patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.